



PROCLAMATION
National Nurses Week
May 6 – 12, 2024

WHEREAS National Nurses Day is a day we celebrate nurses and raise awareness of the importance in their contributions to society. This day, May 6th is part of National Nurses Week – a week that ends on May 12th and marks the birthday of Florence Nightingale; and

WHEREAS President Ronald Reagan signed Proclamation 4913 on March 25, 1982 proclaiming "National Recognition Day for Nurses" to be May 6; and

WHEREAS Nursing has a variety of different level of skills as well as areas in which they contribute with each playing an important role which facilitates to maintain doctor-patient care; and

WHEREAS Nurses are one of the most integral parts of a medical team, fulfilling a crucial role in providing patients and their families the highest level of care, as well as a key means of emotional support, significantly contributing to improved patient and family outcomes; and

WHEREAS Brazos County wants to recognize all Nurses in the Community as well as in Corrections for their acts of heroism, compassion, dedication to duty and commitment to our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Brazos County Commissioners Court does hereby proclaim May 6, 2024, through May 12, 2024, as National Nursing Recognition Week in Brazos County to increase the public's awareness of the importance the role Nurses play to improve and promote health and wellness to their patients.

PROCLAIMED this _____ day of _____ 2024.

Duane Peters
County Judge

Commissioner Steve Aldrich
Precinct 1

Commissioner Chuck Konderla
Precinct 2

Commissioner Nancy Berry
Precinct 3

Commissioner Wanda J. Watson
Precinct 4